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TO: Regional Directors
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Chief, Bureau of Regional and Local Health Agencies

FROM: Barbara Keir, Director **"ORIGINAL SIGNED"**
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Bureau of Nutrition Services

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SUBJECT: List of Pregnant Women on Medicaid Not Participating in WIC

A WIC outreach letter is being mailed this week to all pregnant women who were enrolled in Medicaid as of December 1, 2001, but not enrolled in WIC. A copy of this letter and a list of the women in your service area that received the letter are enclosed. This list may be used for WIC outreach, but we remind you that **the list is confidential and is not to be shared with anyone or used for any other purpose**. Please maintain the list in a secure location, and when you have finished using it, please dispose of it as you would any other confidential information.

Many local WIC agencies find this list very helpful, but if you do not want to continue receiving this list twice a year (winter and summer), please fax this memo back to the state agency indicating your desire to be omitted from the data match that generates the list. If we do not hear from you, we will continue to generate the match for your local agency and send you the list twice a year.

If you have questions about this matter, please feel free to contact me at 512-458-7111 extension 2144 or Barbara.Keir@tdh.state.tx.us. Your attention to this matter is appreciated.

Local Agency # _____ does **not** want to receive the list of pregnant women generated from the Medicaid-WIC data match.

Fax to: **512-458-7609** attention Charlene Hancock.